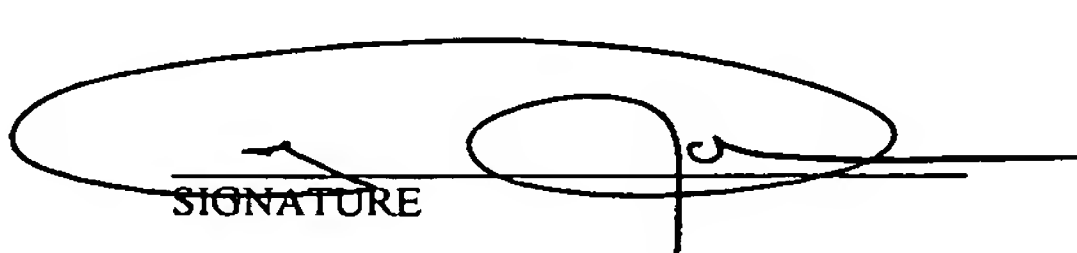Express Mail Certificate: **EV670585985US**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371	ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER **61818-02-5009US**
	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37CFR 1.5) **10/585178**

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. **PCT/US2004/043968**	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE **29 December 2004**	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED **30 December 2003**

TITLE OF INVENTION

AROMATIC TRIAMIDE-LANTHANIDE COMPLEXES

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/ Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.

2. ☐ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.

3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.

4. ☐ The U.S. has been elected (Article 31).

5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))

    a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).

    b. ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.

    c. ☒ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).

6. ☐ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).

    a. ☐ is attached hereto.

    b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))

    a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).

    b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.

    c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.

    d. ☒ have not been made and will not be made.

8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).

9. ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).

10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 20. below concern document(s) or information included:

11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.

12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

13. ☒ A preliminary amendment.

14. ☒ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.

15. ☒ A substitute specification.

16. ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.

17. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.

18. ☐ A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

19. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

20. ☒ Other items or information: Seven replacement figures, Postcard.

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21.		The following fees are submitted:			Applicant Use	Office use only
☒	a)	Basic national fee			$ 300.00	
☒	b)	Examination fee			$ 000.00	
☒	c)	Search fee			$ 000.00	
		TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =			$ 300.00	

☒	Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is $250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.					
Total sheets	**Extra sheets**	**Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number**		**RATE**		
106 - 100 =	6	1		x $250.00	$ 250.00	

Surcharge of **$130.00** for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).

CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		
Total claims	43 - 20 =	23	x $50.00	$1150.00	
Independent claims	1 - 3 =	0	x $200.00	$	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ $360.00	$ 360.00	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				$2360.00	

☒	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by ½.	$1180	
	SUBTOTAL =	$1180.00	

Processing fee of $130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). +

TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =	$1180.00	

Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). **$40.00** per property +

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =	$1180.00	
Amount to be refunded:		$
Amount to be charged:		$

a. ☐ A check in the amount of $_____ to cover the above fees is enclosed.

b. ☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0310 in the amount of $2700.00 to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

c. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0310. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

d. ☐ Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. **Credit card information should not be included on this form.** Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

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